



November 3, 2014
Via Overnight Delivery

Mr. Reece McAlister, Executive Secretary
Georgia Public Service Commission
244 Washington Street S.W.
Atlanta, GA 30334-9052

RE: Cbeyond Communications, LLC
Notice of Name Change to Cbeyond Communications, LLC d/b/a Birch
CLEC Cert. L-0207; Resale Authority R-0721; AOS number A-0186

Dear Mr. McAlister:

Please accept the original and two (2) copies of this letter and the approved State of Georgia Application to Register a Business to be Conducted Under a Trade Name submitted on behalf of Cbeyond Communications, LLC. The purpose of this filing is to notify the commission that Cbeyond Communications, LLC is changing the name under which it will provide telecommunications services within the state of Georgia to Cbeyond Communications, LLC d/b/a Birch. Also, attached is the customer notice.

The Company was granted CLEC authority by Certificate by number L-0207; resale authority by number R-0721; and AOS authority by number A-0186. Please update the Company's certificates of authority to reflect this name change.

Upon approval, the Company will submit its local, access and OSP tariffs to reflect this name change as well as an updated Family Violence Shelter Confidentiality Plan.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3006 or via email to croesel@tminc.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Carey Roesel
Consultant to Cbeyond Communications, LLC

cc: Greg Darnell - Cbeyond
file: Cbeyond - Georgia - Local
tms: GAL1401

Enclosures
CR/rh

**APPLICATION TO REGISTER A BUSINESS
TO BE CONDUCTED UNDER A TRADE NAME**

**STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON**

The undersigned hereby certifies that (they are) (it is) (he is) (she is) conducting a business

in the City of Atlanta, County of Fulton,

State of Georgia, under the name:

Birch

TRADE NAME

and the nature of the business is:

telecommunications

and that said business is composed of the following () person () corporation () partnership:
(x) limited liability company

Name:

CBeyond Communications, LLC

Address:

320 Interstate North Pkwy SE
Atlanta, GA 30339-2213

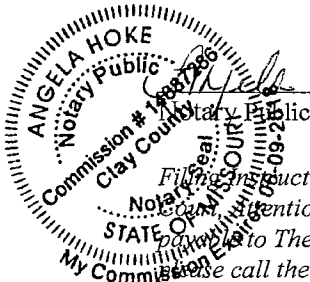
This affidavit is made in compliance with GA Code Annotated, Title 10, Chapter 1, Section 490.
Sworn and subscribed before me.

This 26 day of September in the year 2014



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Filing Instructions: Mail the original notarized application to: Cathelene Robinson, Clerk of Superior Court, Attention: Recording Division, 136 Pryor St., SW, Atlanta, GA 30303. The filing fee is \$163.50
or to The Fulton County Clerk of Superior Court. If you have questions about the filing process,
please call the Clerk's Office at 404-613-5371.

Publication is required by law. If you have questions about publication, contact the Fulton County Daily Report at 404-521-1227.

Cathelene Robinson
Clerk of Superior Court
Fulton County
136 Pryor Street SW

PLEASE RETAIN THIS RECEIPT, THANK YOU

CFH	Inst	Bk & Page	Amount
2014-275195	TN	BS-43-649	\$163.50

Date Filed: Oct-02-2014 at 10:48am

Register/Trans: SMI 20141006-128
Presented By: TECHNOLOGIES MANAGEMENT INC

RECORDING	\$163.50
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TOTAL FEES DUE	\$163.50
Payment for Recording Fees:	
Ck# 129929	\$163.50
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TOTAL AMOUNT TENDERED	\$163.50
BALANCE DUE	\$0.00

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CATHELENE ROBINSON, C.S.C.

D.C.S.C. Fulton Co., Ga.

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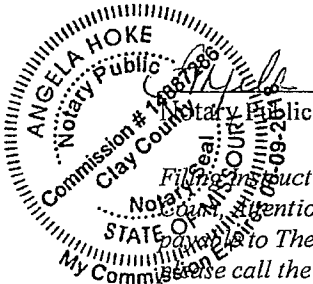
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Customer Notice

Cbeyond is now a part of the Birch family! Following Birch's acquisition of Cbeyond in July 2014, we're in the process of updating all print and digital sales, marketing and invoicing materials. Please look for a new Birch-branded logo, addresses and contact information on these materials and on your next invoice.

Your next invoice will be a Birch invoice. Your product and plan names will change, but your services will continue to work the same.

Your **Birch** invoice will be easier to read, understand and analyze due to the fact that Birch has removed many of the itemized fees and incorporated them into the monthly charge for your products. AutoPay and Online payments will be available with Birch. After you receive your first **Birch** invoice, please visit MyAccount on www.birch.com for easy access to your invoice and to set up online payments. Please also then discontinue any AutoPay arrangements you may have set up in favor of Cbeyond.